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| | 1452 | | 2452 | | Petition to revive - unavoidable | | |
| ' SUBTOTAL (1)[(\$) 740.00] | 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 | 665 P | Petition to revive - unintentional | | |
| 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE | | 1,330 | 2501 | | Jtility issue fee (or reissue) | | |
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| 1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | 1810 | 770 | 2810 | 385 F | For each additional invention to be | | |
| 1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims | | 770 | 2801 | | examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | | |
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